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**UNDER 37 CFR §1.56**

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Sir:

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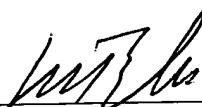
**RELEVANCE OF EACH DOCUMENT**

Document B1 relates to a method for measuring and recording temperatures in refrigerator of refrigerating vehicle mounting operation control meter. A partial English translation of the foreign-language document and an abstract are attached. The absence of such translation does not relieve the PTO from its duty to consider the submitted document (37 CFR §1.98 and MPEP §609).

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Although Applicants believe that no fee is required for this Request, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this Request to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,



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